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J&amp;J-1735

First Inventor

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Title

ABSORBENT CORE FOR USE IN A SANITARY ABSORBENT ARTICLE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING

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    - Background of the Invention
    - Brief Summary of the Invention
    - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
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    - Claim(s)
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  4.  Drawing(s)(35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 4]
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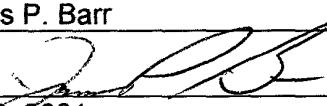
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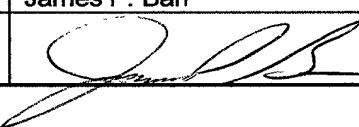
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